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In regard to international application:

Serial No. PCT/FI00/00012
Applicants: Esa Vilmusenaho
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Title: METHOD FOR STORING AND HANDLING A ROLL IN A
PAPER MACHINE, INCLUDING A ROLL BOX
Attorney Docket No. 11001.077
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In connection with entry into the National Phase in the United States of the above referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

P. 1, line 4, insert the heading -- Technical Field --;

P. 1, line 12, insert the heading -- Background of the Invention --;

P. 2, line 22, insert the heading -- Summary of the Invention

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P. 2, line 29, delete "The characteristic features of ...
Claims." and insert -- A method for storing and handling a roll of

a paper machine, board machine, or finishing machine, in which